IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re reconsideration of : Customer Number: 45462

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Application No. 10/597,000; : Group Art Unit: 3752;

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For: MIXED-MODE FUEL INJECTOR WITH A VARIABLE ORIFICE

PATENT APPLICANT'S COMMENTS AND AMENDMENTS IN RESPONSE TO

OFFICE ACTION (Mailing Date: 4/24/2009)

Mail Stop Inter Partes Reexam Attn: Central Reexamination Unit Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action for patent application No. 10/597,000, the Patent Applicant hereby responds as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

Claim listing begins on page 7 of this paper, with minor changes marked in red font for clarity. No new matter has been added.

Drawings have been added marks on FIG. 2 for fuel channels (FC) and fuel passages (FP). No new matter has been added;